

SCHOOL FIRES IN SEATTLE

Who & When to Call

There is no such thing as an insignificant fire. Washington State law, Seattle Fire Code and Seattle Public Schools policy all require that any fire on school property be reported to 911 immediately.

Fire Alarm activates

- 1. School is evacuated.
- 2. Staff calls 911 to report.
- 3. Fire Dept dispatched "Code Red"
- 4. Fire Investigator dispatched if suspicious or incendiary.

Fire is put out by staff or discovered later ("cold" fire)

- 1. No alarm activates
- 2. Staff calls 911
- 3. Fire Dept. dispatched "Code Yellow" (no lights/sirens).
- 4. Fire Investigator dispatched if suspicious or incendiary.

Student Fire Play

- 1. No actual fire. Activities such as flicking a lighter or lighting matches.
- 2. Staff calls Fire Stoppers program at **206-386-1338** to make referral.





Fire Investigation Unit

Fire Stoppers Intervention